

Best Wishes For A Merry Christmas And A Happy New Year

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ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS A YEAR IN ADVANCE

## Congressman Robison

### Replies to Gov. Black

My dear Mr. Burman:—  
I just received your last issue of the Mountain Advocate. I always enjoy it. I think the family reads every line of it. We like to find out what is going on at home. You are doing a great service for the people.

I notice an article printed in the Advocate, written by Governor Black in which he takes issue with a statement heretofore appearing in your paper on the road question. It is not my purpose to reflect in any way on Governor Black. I would not knowingly do him an injustice. While we differ politically I have always felt and now feel kindly toward Governor Black.

In March Mr. Wiley, the then Road Commissioner of Kentucky, promised the representatives from the counties of Rockcastle, Laurel, Whitley, Knox and Bell and myself that he would approve the road thru these counties for Federal Aid and that our roads would be built under Federal Aid in 1919. He confirmed this promise in numerous subsequent letters. I made a great many trips to Frankfort and to the Road Department here at Washington, wrote many letters and sent a great many telegrams trying to get action. Along in August Mr. Wiley resigned and Governor Black appointed Mr. Boggs Road Commissioner. I could get nothing done here at Washington because the Frankfort authorities would not approve and send in any plans and I was in Williamsburg in September and was informed by the officials there that they had gotten up their plans, according to directions from Mr. Wiley, and had sent them in.

There was a great deal of complaint by both Democrats and Republicans over the delay of the Road Department at Frankfort. I was constantly getting letters and telegrams from the officials in the other counties mentioned. I was very anxious to get action. I went to the office of Tye and Siler in Williamsburg in September and had Miss Minnie Murphy, their stenographer, to write the letter in question to Governor Black. I mailed this letter to Governor Black and a copy of it to Mr. Boggs, the Road Commissioner, at Frankfort. Governor Black says he did not receive the letter. I received no answer to either of them, neither was either letter returned to me. I wrote to Governor Black again in November and he replied he had not received the September letter. I retained a carbon copy of the letter written on the letter-head of Tye and Siler and I sent this carbon copy to Governor Black to show him that I had written the letter. He returned the carbon copy to me and I now have it.

Governor Black says that he cannot understand why I wrote to him in September or November as he was not a road engineer. I knew that he lived in Eastern Kentucky and knew that we needed Federal Aid for our roads, altho he was not a road engineer. I knew that he was the Chief Executive of the State, charged with the impartial enforcement

and administration of the laws of the State and also that Mr. Boggs was his appointee; I therefore requested him to see Mr. Boggs and urge him to approve and send these plans to Washington. I do not agree with the Governor that he had no more to do with the enforcement of the law as to this road matter than any other person. If he did not have any more to do with it than some other person, like myself, he was not exercising the rights guaranteed to him under the constitution and laws of Kentucky. I feel that had he been Governor from May until November I would have made it my duty to see that Eastern Kentucky got its fair proportion of Federal Aid money.

The Governor says if there was any discrimination against Eastern Kentucky he did not know it. In going over the State I cannot understand why he failed to observe this. If he will look over the record and maps in the Road Department at Frankfort and here at Washington he will see it plainly. One of the persons in charge of the Road Department here in showing me the road map of Kentucky, showed me the various roads that had been approved for Federal Aid in Kentucky and not one of them in Eastern Kentucky and he stated that it was plain to be seen where the Road Department in Kentucky was placing the Federal money.

Mr. McCall, Democratic Commissioner of Agriculture and late Democratic candidate for Secretary of State during the recent campaign, said in my presence at Jamestown, Kentucky, in boasting of the achievements of the Stanley and Black administration, that there had been nearly eighteen hundred miles of roads built in Kentucky under Federal Aid. In my reply to him I pointed out that not one inch of macadam road had been built or approved for building in either the Tenth or Eleventh Districts of Kentucky. It seems to me that a blind man could see that we have been discriminated against and I am disappointed in this discrimination. I shall not accept it as an excuse in Governor Morrow if he should state that he was not a road engineer and has nothing to do with the roads. If he does not give us a square deal in this I shall not hesitate to criticize him. He should not put in a Road Commissioner or permit him to continue in office; if he will not give to Eastern Kentucky its fair proportion of Federal Aid money. The Governor will be justified in removing him from office.

I am more interested in roads in Eastern Kentucky than I am in any other governmental activity. We must have better roads. We are entitled to this Federal Aid and we propose to continue to fight until we get our part. We simply want a square deal. This has been denied us by the Democratic Road Department at Frankfort and because of inaction on the part of our Governor.

Respectfully,  
J. M. Robison.

Prof. Lytle's Evening Spanish Class will not meet again until after the Holiday Season.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL GROWING RAPIDLY

The Hi-Land Park Sunday School which was organized about three months ago by Mesdames E. T. Franklin, D. M. Humfleet and Fannie Sampson now has an enrollment of 46. The ladies are planning a Christmas tree for the school and will welcome donations to buy a treat for the children.

## DESTROY FOUR STILL

LONDON, Ky., Dec. 11.—Sheriffs W. H. Steele, of Laurel, and Read P. Black, of Knox, have returned from a joint moonshine raid on the Knox-Laurel border where they destroyed four complete stills and caught one of the operators.—Louisville Herald.

## MUSICAL

The members of the Mozart Music Club entertained their parents at an Impromptu Musical in Miss Trabue's studio at B. B. I. Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 10th, at 3 o'clock.

The program consisted of sketches, selections from musical journals, both vocal and instrumental, solos and duets. Every number was well rendered, the beginners being especially attractive.

When the President and Secretary appeared with a large basket of fruit talking and laughter were in order and were heartily entered into by each one as it was a suggestion of approaching holidays.

The next meeting of the Club will be with Master Braxton Stewart in 1920.

## OIL NEWS.

Hinkle and Wyrick who are drilling a well near Goldbug, two miles west of Wofford, Whitley County are down 760 feet.

A. A. Street, F. C. Brumback and Irving Simon of Nashville were here Saturday looking over the oil field.

Mr. Williams, representing Robison and Co. who have leases on Stinking Creek has reserved rooms for himself at the Jones Hotel for January drilling.

Gas was recently struck at a depth of a few feet on the farm belonging to St. John's Institute, Corbin. Shots had been put in to determine the thickness of a vein of coal on the farm and gas later flowed thru the broken rock. A good well, which is now plugged, was brought in on this property sixteen years ago and it is probable that both gas and oil will be encountered by some one with enterprise enough to drill.

## WILL BUILD SILO.

Mance Bingham of Girdler is said to be preparing to build a 500 barrel silo and already has part of the material on the ground. He says he believes in improving his farm. The Advocate would be glad to see silos go up all over Knox County. Corn can be cut much earlier and saved from excessive fall rains. It is also stated that butter fat can be increased 25 per cent by the use of ensilage.

## MISS FLORENCE CAMPBELL'S RECITAL A BIG SUCCESS

On Saturday night at Union College Chapel, Miss Florence Campbell gave practical proof of the splendid musical work she is doing for Union. The vocal and instrumental performances were both of a high order and the rendering of the Cantata at the close showed what she can do with massed voices. Those who failed to attend missed a treat.

The orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Ahler was also a pleasant part of the evening's program. This orchestra is making progress by leaps and bounds and is an important feature of Union's musical educational system.

## OTIS BURROUGHS HURT

Otis Burroughs, of Union College, was badly cut and bruised about the face and head when he jumped from a moving automobile on last Friday. He struck on his head turning a somersault and was picked up unconscious. He is receiving every attention at Union and Robert Blair has installed himself as his nurse, which is a chummy thing to do.

## ST. JOHN'S MAKES GOOD CORN

Harold E. Wentworth, Superintendent of St. John's Institute, Corbin, is a civil engineer by profession but has made the training of boys and girls a life work. Attached to St. John's is a farm of some 300 acres, all of which is carefully platted off on a map which is kept in Mr. Wentworth's office.

The soil of the farm is not as good as we have in our own part of Knox County, but thru corn testing experiments which are taught at the institute, he has evolved a system of planting only the best seed and on twenty-six acres over 900 bushels of corn were gathered this year and in excellent condition. More than half of the cornstalks carried two fine ears of corn.

Mr. Wentworth consults his map of the farm and plants his different crops with an eye to both profit and the building up of the soil and is making a success in both directions.

It is a pleasure to know that St. John's, which is in Knox County, is to share in the proceeds of the Episcopal Church Drive which has just been completed. The Institute is doing a splendid work in educating the younger children from the mountains as well as many Corbin children.

## DEMISE

David Gibson, son of Mrs. Olie Weaver, died Saturday morning at the Lexington Hospital following an operation for mastoid abscess with which he had been afflicted for over a year. For some months he had been a pupil at St. John's Institute, Corbin, and following a severe attack of the malady, the Superintendent of the school, Mr. Harold E. Wentworth, had him placed in the Lexington hospital under the care of one of the best surgeons obtainable, one of the teachers accompanying him. At first it was believed David might get well but spinal meningitis set in and his mother was sent to him arriving on the day before his death. Bishop Lewis W. Burton and Archdeacon F. B. Wentworth personally did all possible for David and his mother.

The remains were brought to Barbourville and the funeral was held at the Creasey home Sunday afternoon. Superintendent Wentworth, from Corbin, and many friends and relatives attending the last rites. Rev. R. L. Creal read the funeral service.

The sympathy of her many friends will go out to Mrs. Weaver and the sister and brothers in the hour of their loss.

## OUTSIDE ENGINEER INSPECTS OUR STREETS

On Sunday afternoon, Geo. Faulkner took Mr. Harold E. Wentworth, City Engineer of Corbin, over our newly paved streets and his judgment is that Barbourville got mighty good work at the hands of Contractor S. J. Condon. He told the editor of the Advocate that the paved streets compare favorably with those of any city in this section of Kentucky. He was also somewhat surprised at the amount of work done here which is in excess of that done at Corbin. However, that city had to spend some \$40,000 on sewers for the street drainage. Mr. Wentworth was also pleased with the absence of sand, mud and leaves which are carried off by our splendid drainage.

## MISS LEGER BREAKS ARM

Miss Ida Leger, of King, and one of Knox County's popular young teachers, had the misfortune to fall and break her arm in two places as she was starting for the depot with her brother, J. E. Leger, on Sunday morning.

## GRADUATE STUDENTS CLUB

The graduate students of the University met a week ago Monday to organize a Graduate Student Club. R. C. Miller, of the College of Agriculture, son of R. C. Miller, of King, Ky., was elected president, with Miss Lelah Gault, of the Chemistry Department, as secretary and treasurer. The boys from the Mountains will come to the top wherever they are placed.

A nice Christmas present to loved ones away from home—The Mountain Advocate, of course.

## RED CROSS SEALS CAMPAIGN STARTS

Sales for the first six days of the Red Cross Christmas Seals have not been up to the mark set by the promoters of the sale, which includes every public health agency in Kentucky. The State Board of Health, the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association, the Red Cross, the Public Health Nursing Associations in all parts of the State, and the County Tuberculosis Associations.

Many stamps have been sold in the intensive campaign in northern Kentucky, where W. C. Ryerson, a newspaper live wire, is chairman. In Western Kentucky and in Central Kentucky, too, reports show that many seals have been sold, but not enough to make the state's quota unless they are considerably increased.

In Lexington the school children have sold their quotas and have sent in requisitions for more Seals. Major Ernest B. Ellis, who is assisting Chairman J. A. Goodson there, offered prizes of \$100 for the best seals salesman among the children, and the very first day the school quota was all sold.

It is hoped to finish the campaign this week, but if necessary, it will be continued until the quota of \$130,660 is raised. Many more Seals are expected to be sold this week.

## A FAMILY FEAST

J. H. Turner on Monday chose the largest turkey in his possession and laid it on the block. It had to be a big one since, owing to the H. C. L. and needing a really and truly meal, the following crowd of his children and their attachments descended on him. Mrs. B. P. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mealer, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mealer, Mr. and Mrs. Aulin Simon, his brother, Jim Turner of Brush Creek and Bro. Wells of Clay County. It was a crowd big enough to give heart failure to any ordinary individual but J. H. stalked, corralled and slew Mr. Mahomet Turkey who had been living a life of luxury with his harem. To his credit be it said, the Mealers and other diners got every luxury the human stomach desires, even tho in these costly days J. H. may be ruined for the rest of his life.

## WILL TAKE CHURCH CENSUS

The various churches of the city with Dean Ryder at the head of the movement, intend to take a church membership census of Barbourville. It is hoped to do this before the holidays. The questions asked will be the names, names of children, membership of what church, children's ages, other members of the home and membership in what church. Sunday School attended and preference. This is a good work and should tend to line up our people for their various churches. Too many of our citizens are slack in their duty toward God and His church and we trust the taking of the census will awaken them to their religious needs and obligations.

## TUESDAY CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Hugh Oldfield was hostess for the Tuesday Club, Dec. 9th, at her home on Pine St. The members answered roll call with items concerning the subject of the day—Red Cross Seals. Mrs. J. R. Tuggle, first Vice-President presided in the absence of the President, Mrs. Edward Faulkner was leader of the day. The subjects given were:—“Advertising for Health,” Mrs. F. Burman, and “Last Christmas and This in the Red Cross,” Mrs. W. B. Minton. Little Miss Catherine Faulkner read a story of the “Origin of the Red Cross Seal.” The members are eagerly waiting for the new supply of Seals to purchase theirs and thus further help the great cause.

Miss Bertha King was winner in the Art Contest receiving an attractive and useful booklet, “My Engagements.”

The rooms were decorated with Christmas colors, red and green, with the emblems of the Red Cross used in profusion. The dining room table was for its centerpiece a large red crocheted basket with narcissus and Christmas greens, surrounded by dozens of small red crosses. Hidden under the centerpiece were red ribbons extending from the red crosses attached to which were slips of paper indicating the stunt each member was to do. A salad course was served.

## ANNUAL RECEPTION

The Annual Dollar Social of the Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Tuggle, on River St., Friday evening, December 5th. Fifty dollars or more was the amount given by the members and their husbands. Fun and excitement prevailed thruout the evening, the contests and games proving most interesting. The invited guests—the men—enjoyed the reception to the extent that they requested to become honorary members of the society so they might have the privilege of being present at all the social functions given.

The ladies proved themselves quicker in the peanut races with the exception of Mr. Decker who won his race. In the “Eye” contest Mr. James S. Golden was the best guesser. Miss Pelley made the best picture in the chewing gum contest. Mrs. James Golden was the luckiest in the Santa Claus game with Mr. Robert Cornett running a close second. Mr. John Stanfill won in the Advertisement contest and Kenneth Tuggle guessed the next largest number. All winners received appropriate prizes. After matching quotations for lunch each couple was served with delicious refreshments. Mrs. Tuggle was a most delightful hostess and the party lasted until a late hour.

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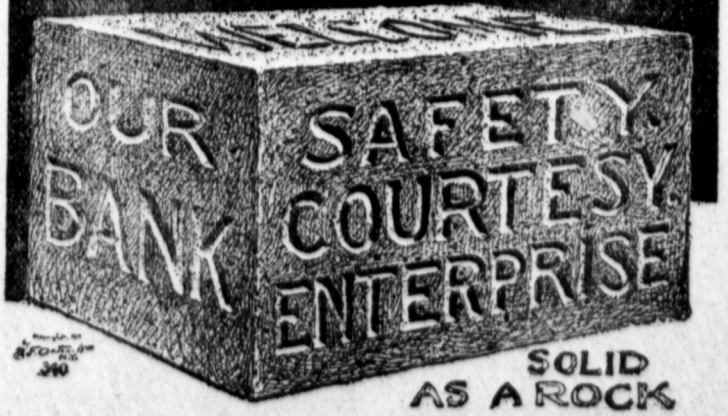
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## GENERAL PERSHING WORSHIPS

We note by the daily press that General Pershing attended worship at Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, while there. Epch, the great French general spent a part of every day on his knees in a little church at the front. Hag is a praying man as is Allenby, who, rather than injure Jerusalem of sacred memory, spent weeks in its capture. Only one fourth of the people in Barbourville are present at God's house on Sundays. This includes so called members who in the past have claimed to be saved. As we understand it, being saved is giving one's self to God and His service.

What are the other three-fourths doing with their holy day? Is it carelessness or do they feel that they have grown beyond religion? Then they should stabilize themselves and remember that a life lived carelessly is a life which is not constructive and therefore of little value to God or man. If it is a case of intellectual "beauty" they should remember how little they really know and how little they count in the eternal scheme of things unless they live according to the immutable laws of God who made them. A blow on the head or across the eyes and men become things of pity when the gray matter which we know as the brain or the nerves of the eyes refuse to function.

No true man or true woman can live life at its best unless there is in it the attributes of reverence, faith, worship and prayer. Each one of us is crossing life's valley and over the brow of the hill in the distance lies that other country where gold and silver, automobiles, social position or intellectual "beauty" will count as nothing, but where the naked soul will realize only its imperfections, its deeds of omission and commission. Man, the atom, will feel awe, even tho he may wish to exercise the attributes of reverence, faith, worship and prayer, but cannot because he failed to use them while he might.

Our churches are open, our ministers stand with outstretched hands waiting to receive us. The Everlasting Arms await us. "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

## Stomach Trouble.

"I used Chamberlain's Tablets and got a great deal for stomach trouble and felt nervous and tired all the time. These tablets helped me from the first, and inside of a week's time I had improved in every way," writes Mrs. L. A. Driskard, Jefferson City, Mo.

## SHERIFF'S NOTICE

All persons holding County claims for the years 1918-1919 are requested to bring the same to the Sheriff's office at once before the funds are exhausted.

Read P. Black, Sheriff.

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## SWAN LAKE NEWS.

G. W. Sanders visited his daughter at Anchor last week.

Wm. E. and J. S. McNeil visited their grand-father, John S. King of Barbourville, and also their uncle, Frank King, of Baileys Switch, last week.

Miss Grace Partin visited her father last Sunday.

J. H. King visited the McNeil boys Sunday evening.

Miss Verda Sanders is on the sick list.

Miss Mary McNeil visited Miss Edna Sears Tuesday.

W. W. Powell has been hunting in the hills for his Angora goats that have gone astray.

Charlie Campbell started to mill Saturday and had to cross the creek and George King tried the creek to see if it was up too high to ford and he went in head and ears.

A Holiness meeting is going on at this place conducted by Will Combs and others from Middlesboro.

Miss Dixie King, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is reported much better.

Will Fultz has gone to Lynch to work.

Tilman Ford visited his father, I. L. Ford, at Trosper last week.

A. D. McDonald and Boyd Days called at W. D. Kings Sunday.

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## UNION COLLEGE NOTES

This week one idea prevades the collective soul of Union—Term Finals, but we are all hoping to come out of this testing time next Friday afternoon with ample credit to ourselves and to our teachers and the institution.

We are glad to see Pearl Parsons back at work after two weeks of severe illness.

With this issue of the College notes, the present editorial staff having completed its term of office, bids the Mountain Advocate goodbye. We have had a pleasant experience as reporters and as we leave the work for others to take up next term, we wish them and everybody everywhere a very Merry Christmas and a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Thursday Morning Union enjoyed a unique program at Chapel period when students and faculty contributed to the expenses of delegates to the Student Volunteer Missionary Convention at Des Moines, Iowa. The College Orchestra took an important part in all music. Missionary hymns were sung. Miss Hawkins read mission passages from the gospels most inspiringly. Miss Jettie Stratton sang "Speed Away" and Prof. Cramer offered a fervent missionary prayer. Pres. Franklin gave a short talk in which he fittingly bridged the gap between the devotional and the informal parts of the program.

While the orchestra played a spirited march, the students fell in line and as they passed the treasurer, left their contributions and returned to their seats. Almost the entire sum necessary to send the delegates was paid in and everybody felt the spiritual uplift that comes from an act of real service. Miss Ida Mae Smith represents the girls, Daniel Archibald the boys and Prof. Cramer, leader of our Mission Study, the faculty.

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Lord's Prayer.  
Hymn No. 88.  
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Anthem, "Lead Us O Father."—  
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Prayer.  
Response.  
Communion Hymn No. 439.  
Communion.  
Anthem, "Joy to the World."—  
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"All Hail Emanuel" by the choir.  
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Solo.  
Anthem, "O, Be Joyful in the Lord."—Cranmer.  
Congregational Singing.  
Benediction.  
Soloists, Mrs. Rathfon, Mrs. Marcum and Mr. George Tinsley.  
Organist and choir director, Mrs. McDermott.  
The Bible School as usual at 9:45.  
The public is cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.  
Thos. J. Belcher, Minister.

Twenty-five naval deserters explain that they were absent because the French girls insisted on loving them. The women got most of the blame in this wicked world.

Dr. Wiley says Americans eat too much sugar but he must mean they would if they could.



## BAILEYS SWITCH NEWS

Mrs. Ben Deaton is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Ed Dozier and Miss Beatrice Rhinehart were guests of Mrs. Tilman Cole Thursday.

Emmet Taylor was visiting friends at Jarvis Store Saturday night.

Mrs. Ellen Husk is very sick at this writing.

Aunt Susan Parrott was the guest of Mrs. Tilman Cole Friday.

Miss Edith McDonald was the pleasant guest at the home of the Tilman Coles on Tuesday.

Rev. Elam was a guest of Esq. V. D. Jackson Saturday night.

Miss Beatrice Rhinehart who has been the guest of her uncle, Ed Dozier, for the past month returned to her home in Corbin Monday.

Mrs. Hannah Dizney is in a very serious condition on account of injuries suffered in a run away accident. She and her son-in-law Frank Centers were driving to Barbourville when their horse became frightened at something in the north part of town and ran away throwing both from the buggy. Mr. Centers was not hurt and we hope Mrs. Disney will soon recover from her injuries.

## Few Escape

There are few indeed who escape having at least one cold during the winter months, and they are fortunate who have but one and get thru with it quickly and without any serious consequences. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and observe the directions with each bottle, and you are likely to be one of the fortunate ones. The worth and merit of the remedy have been fully proven. There are many families who have always used it for years when troubled with a cough or cold, and with the very best results.

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## Up-To-Date Restaurant

Barbourville, Ky.

### Personal Mention

J. C. Mitchell is moving to the Owens flat.

Joe Smith is suffering from rheumatism but is able to be about.

Joe Higgins has moved to the Sproule property on High Street.

Carl Morris is home from Berea for the holidays.

Jeff Kennedy has just built some sheds and a crib.

James Turner of Brush Creek was here Monday on business.

S. T. Jackson and Henry Jackson of Flat Lick were here Monday.

Mrs. Guy Dickinson spent the week-end in Pineville.

Mrs. Jane Brown, who has been very sick, is improving.

Dr. S. C. Jones, of Jarvis Store, was in town Saturday.

W. R. Marsee, of Warren, was here Saturday.

Earl Stanfill, of Warren, Ohio, is spending the holidays here.

Jake Denzer was on the sick list for a few days last week.

Mrs. Hiram Jones, of London, Ky., will be here Saturday to spend a week with Mrs. Joe Sampson.

Lewis D. Sampson, of New York, will be here Sunday with Mrs. Joe Sampson.

Watch for "Broken Blossoms" at the Star Theatre. Special Show for Christmas.

Mrs. Dan Herndon is in Morris-town, Tenn. with her father, S. N. Miller, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. B. Sutton after suffering from a felon on her thumb had it lanced and is now doing better.

J. F. Golden has moved to the old bakery formerly occupied by Jake Denzer.

The friends of Charlie Sutton can find him at the Costello Drug Store handling Christmas goods.

Born to Squire and Mrs. Frank Burch, on Little Brush Creek, a girl Sunday, Dec. 14.

Gov. J. D. Black was here Saturday and returned to Frankfort Saturday night on business.

Arthur Smith, of the Post-Office staff, left Monday on a business trip to Berea.

Mrs. Tracy Pruitt, who has been the guest of Mrs. Nannie Hoskins returned to Harlan Sunday.

W. M. Bargo of Flat Lick was in town Monday and renewed his subscription to the Advocate.

W. B. Kinder and Jas. D. Jarvis of Artemus were here on business Monday.

R. L. Bain, of the Sanitary Grocery Company, has been on the sick list this week.

Paul Bain, of Warren, O., came in Monday to spend the holidays with relatives here.

Cecil Maxey, of Harlan, spent the day Wednesday in town leaving on the night train for Summerville, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Churchill, of Middlesboro, were the guests of Mrs. Churchill's mother, Mrs. Sue Vermillion on Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Patty, of Artemus, died Saturday afternoon, age 70 years. She leaves a husband and several children.

Misses Ruth and Carrie Stanfill, who are attending Berea College, came home Tuesday to spend Christmas holidays.

Miss Emma Morris was unable to be at the National Bank of John A. Black Friday and Saturday on account of illness.

### A TEXAS WONDER

For kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle, often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall 2926 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by Druggists. -48-521.

Costello Drug Co. for your watches, lavalieres, rings, pins, cuff links, gents sets or any jewelry you need. Jewelry guaranteed as represented. 5-21

J. W. Tatum, the well known and popular Remington Typewriter man, was here Wednesday selling typewriters.

When your eyes need attention, instead of counting the cost, consider what your eyes are worth to you. J. Efron, O. D. Over Cole, Hughes & Co. store. 7-21

Chas. I. Dawson of Pineville, Attorney General Elect of Kentucky was here Monday on business. He was proudly showing a new fountain pen, in which six diamonds are set, which was presented to him by the boys of Bell County.

A good crowd took Sunday dinner at the Jones Hotel Sunday. Those who wish to take their Christmas dinner at the hotel, and it will be a good one, should make reservations in advance so the management may know for how many they have to prepare.

One of the State Traveling Libraries has just taken up its abode for the next few months in a corner of Speed-Stevenson Library. This collection includes a few works of reference but is largely made up of fiction. These books are free to the public. You will and a welcome by the librarian and assistants if you care to use the Traveling Library.

There will be a Community Celebration at the High School in which all are invited to share by sending things suitable for distribution, either new or old, food or clothing. This effort is under the direct charge of the Parent-Teacher Association. The committees will receive articles Friday or Monday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the High School building.

Prof. and Mrs. H. C. Mills, of Artemus, were here Saturday. It will be a pleasure to their many friends to know that a recent operation has proved of great benefit to Prof. Mills who is looking more like his old self than he has done for many weeks. Both are enthusiastic over their school work and the fine body of trustees and officials with whom lie the destinies of the Artemus Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer A. Smith last week visited Louisville, Frankfort and Cincinnati. While in Frankfort they attended the inauguration of Governor E. P. Morrow. Mr. Smith being a member of the new governor's personal escort. Immediately following the inaugural ceremonies Mr. and Mrs. Smith were guests at the buffet luncheon given by Mrs. J. G. South at her beautiful home in honor of Governor Morrow and about one hundred of his personal friends. In the evening they attended the inaugural ball which they enjoyed to the fullest extent.

## COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sideache, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.—Mrs. Minnie Philpot, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left rib. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffered usually about three days. I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go. I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me.

One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle. I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui. Try Cardui today. 2-78

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HARTFORD, CONN.

For Sale—About 3500 oak and hickory trees within three miles of Railroad, Clay County. For quick sale 90c per tree. Reid Real Estate Company, Barbourville, Kentucky. 7-21.

Mrs. J. L. Stanfill was able to be at the store Saturday following a fall while holding the baby. In her effort to shield him from harm Mrs. Stanfill badly strained her ankle and displaced two small bones in her foot.

H. A. Howard and Herman Sowers, of Artemus, were in town Wednesday on business.

Bart S. Reid, late of Manchester, Ky., and formerly of the United States Air Service, has opened an office next door to the postoffice where he will act as District Manager for the Guardian Life Insurance Co., of New York, and will also handle real estate of all descriptions.

Don't forget to use Red Cross Seals.

Mrs. H. M. Hershberg will continue the business of H. M. Hershberg along the same lines as heretofore and will appreciate trade and patronage of friends and customers, always paying market price for produce. 7-41

### SMALL FARM FOR SALE

Located on Cumberland in Whitely County. Contains 76 or 80 acres, good orchard and water, has plenty of Blue Gem coal, well fenced, enough timber to keep up farm. Sell at right price. Call on or address Rachael Bennett, Artemus, Ky. 7-21.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the many kindnesses shown during the sickness and at the time of death of our husband and father, and especially to thank Rev R. L. Creal for his services and the High School for flowers sent.

Mrs. H. M. Hershberg and family.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smith, Fount, a boy, Dec. 5th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Mills, Fount, a girl, Dec. 7.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Todd Sampson, Fount, twin girls, Dec. 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rice, Artemus, a boy, Dec. 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Frederick, Artemus, a boy, Dec. 14.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vaughn, Criss, a girl, Dec. 15.

### INFLUENZA AGAIN APPEARS AMONG US.

With influenza again among us, wisdom and foresight dictate that every family should prepare to prevent and combat this disease. In the interest of humanity, physicians and laymen who were so successful last year in treating Influenza, Colds, Grippe, Croup and other diseases of the respiratory organs are recommending as the most effective treatment the external remedy



Brame's Vapomenthia Salve, when applied to the chest and throat penetrates the pores of the skin and breaks up the congestion, at the same time healing vapors are carried direct to the infected membranes of the nasal passages, causing the phlegm to be loosened and inducing restful sleep. Brame's Vapomenthia Salve may be obtained at every drug store, or it may be had from the manufacturers direct, the Brame Drug Company of North Wilkesboro, N. C. Sold in three sizes, 30c, 60c, and \$1.20. Complete directions accompany every package.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Larkin Bargo, Jr., and Mary Mills, Sealf.

W. F. Catching and Lettie A. Jones Corbin.

Howard Barklow and Margaret Williams Corbin.

Jack Hampton, Swan Pond, and Margaret Johnson, Davie Bend.

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## I Owe My Life to PE-RU-NA

Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be sufferers as he was. Read it:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peruna saved me. Travelling from town to town, throughout the country and having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently, so when this would occur I paid little attention to it, until last December when I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part settled on my lungs. When almost too late, I began doctoring, but without avail, until I heard of Peruna. It cured me; so I cannot praise it too highly."

It Cured Me



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### WHEELER NEWS

There is work at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. General Jones, of White Star, Ky., are visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Sam Thompson was visiting friends at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Triplett and daughter Jessie spent Tuesday in town shopping.

Miss Nannie Jane Foley, of Warren, Ky., spent most of the week with her friends at this place.

Mrs. A. R. Drake spent Tuesday in town shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Detherage spent Thursday at this place with friends.

Mrs. Jim Turner and little son Con spent Thursday in town.

R. C. Bain was in Tinsley, Ky., Saturday on business.

Ell Coins went to Artemus Saturday.

Mrs. Ellen Bray went to Tinsley, Ky., Saturday where she will attend the funeral of her son who was instantly killed in the mines. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bray attended the funeral of the former brother at Tinsley, Ky.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. Brown, of Harps Creek, are visiting relatives at this place.

Miss May Morris is visiting friends at Warren.

Mose Foley, of Artemus, was here Monday on business.

Rev. Speed Bain, of Buckeye, and Rev. Thos. Golden, of Warren, are holding a revival at this place and are having good success.

Lee Bain, who has been buying cattle for the past week, finds them very high.

Charley Tye, of Tinsley, was here Monday on business. BLUE BELL.

The Mountain Advocate comes to your home each week for \$1.50 a year.

## OVER-ACIDITY

of the stomach has upset many a night's rest. If your stomach is acid-disturbed, dissolve two or three

## KI-MOIDS

on the tongue before retiring and enjoy refreshing sleep. The purity and goodness of Ki-moids guaranteed by

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Watch the home "ads" in the Advocate and buy at home.

## Good Health Within Easy Reach

Vigorous Health Only as Far Away as the Use of Pepto-Mangan

Creates Rich, Red Blood

Pepto-Mangan Obtainable in Liquid or Tablets—Insist on "Gude's" the Genuine.

There is really no reason why men or women with thin, watery blood and consequent poor health should remain in that unfortunate condition Thin, nervous, run-down, tired people never get much happiness out of life.

Men and women with the bloom of health in their cheeks, a cheerful, sunny disposition and an attractive personality are the folks who get most of life's enjoyment, pleasure and success.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan furnishes thin, watery blood with the necessary nourishment to enrich it, enabling it to supply energy, vitality, and strength to every part of the body.

Physicians recommend Gude's Pepto-Mangan to patients suffering from anemia because its beneficial and lasting qualities are well known to the medical profession.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan is obtainable in either or tablet form. Both forms contain exactly the same strength and medicinal properties.

When you buy Pepto-Mangan of your druggist, be sure the name "Gude's" is on the package. Without "Gude's" it is not Pepto-Mangan.

### KILLED BY ENGINE

Mr. Mart E. Tye, employee of the American Railway Express Company this city, was struck by a passenger engine in front of the Passenger Depot here at about 11 o'clock, receiving severe injuries which resulted in his death Wednesday night at 3 o'clock a. m. It is reported that Mr. Tye had pushed an express truck up to a position where it could be loaded from train No. 32, and had stooped over to pick up a stone with which to block the wheels, when a passenger engine on its way to the roundhouse backed into Mr. Tye and knocked him over on the concrete walk. His skull was fractured and one of his legs broken. He was immediately taken to Dr. Parker's office where every possible means were used to save his life but his injuries were so severe that he only lived until 3 o'clock the following morning.

Mr. Tye is survived by his wife and two sons who have the sympathy of the entire community in their loss. —Corbin Times.

Red Cross Seals are sold so that we may each have a hand in stamping out tuberculosis.

## WORK

### NEW ACTIVITY OF GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY DISTRIBUTED FIFTY STALLIONS.

### MEMBERS AGREE ON POLICY

Runners and Trotters Are Best Types and Racing Should be Encouraged to the End that Production Shall be Continuous.

#### Army Remount.

The new Army Remount Board, which has undertaken the task of providing the forces of national defense with horses of the proper sort, has established headquarters in Washington and begun operations. Already this board, which is made up of a mixed military and civilian personnel, has distributed through the country, in districts situated in the quick production of half-bred horses of robust types, the fifty odd thoroughbred stallions, most of them the gifts to the government of horsemen and persons interested in racing and "blooded" production, that had previously been acquired by the war department through the remount board that was called into being during the progress of the great war.

The military members of the permanent board are Major General William G. Snow and Jesse M. Carter, Colonel P. S. Armstrong, John S. Fair, Bruce Palmer and George H. Cameron, Lieutenant Colonel John F. Thibault and Major Hayden Channing. Major Channing will not be classed as a military representative on the board long. When he leaves the service, which he entered for the term of the war, he will become one of New England's civilian representatives.

#### Well-Known Men on Board.

The civilian members of the remount board are: Major August Belmont, chairman of the Jockey Club of New York; Dr. John H. Mohler, of Washington; Arthur B. Hancock, proprietor of the Ellerslie stud, of Virginia; and the Claiborne stud, of Kentucky; and another great thoroughbred producer, his Ellerslie and Claiborne yearlings having fetched a total of more than \$150,000 at the recent Saratoga sales; F. Ambrose Clark, of New York; Algernon Dalingerfield, the assistant secretary of the Jockey Club; Major Robert E. Strawbridge, of Pennsylvania; Thomas Hitchcock, of New York; and Captain Philip M. Walker, of Virginia. Captain Walker, a retired officer of the regular service of the United States army, is a brother of thoroughbred in Clarke County, Virginia.

The military personnel of this board is not to be permanent. Instead of picking the men best fitted by knowledge and experience for the work of directing, in conjunction with the civilian members, the production of horses for the three great combat branches of the military service—cavalry, artillery and transport—and giving them the necessary billets, the war department has indicated that it must for fear of violating a century-old tradition, shift the military members of the board from time to time so as to give other officers their opportunities. This sort of rotation is calculated to prove wasteful and ineffective, but war departments the world over are sticklers for traditional routine and there is not help for it.

#### Two Types of Horses.

The situation, as regards the work of the United States Army Remount Board may be served by permanent civilian membership. There can be no question of the sound sense and practical production of breeds of horses and of their general and specific usefulness of the civilian members of the board. To the success of Major Belmont, whose Nursery stud has been represented on American tracks this season by Lincoln, the country's greatest thoroughbred of mature years; by Man O'War, the outstanding champion among the two-year-olds; and by Mad Hatter and of Mr. Hancock, reference has already been made. Major Hitchcock has won distinction these twenty-five years as a developer of cross-country performers. Mr. Clark, like Mr. Hitchcock, has been associated with studbreeding in the east, and he has in the course of the last two years rendered signal service and without compensation to the army as a civilian member of the war-time remount board. Major Strawbridge and Major Channing have spent the better part of a quarter of a century developing horses of the so-called hunter type, which are the sort that have rendered the most efficient service to the armies of France and England in the world struggle for liberty. Since the civilian membership is to be permanent it is inevitable that the influence of the civilian members will be powerful, if it is not controlling, in the shaping of the policy of the remount board.

Today the remount board, as regards both the military and civilian elements, is a unit on the proposition that the association between effective national defense and the two types of horses that have not succumbed to the overwhelming competition of the automobile and the motor truck, which Americans call thoroughbreds—the runner and the trotter—is of sovereign importance. The board is agreed on a man that not only must there be no farther interference through the

agency of legislation hostile to horse racing, state or national, with the continuous production of runners and trotters, but that the government must find a means, as was suggested by the bureau of animal industry as far back as 1911, of stimulating the production of running and trotting types.

#### Racing to be Encouraged.

If the running and trotting types were not the only light types available for the work of creating a special army horse, it would be necessary to give them the biggest roles in the scheme of military horse supply because they are tougher and more enduring than other types. The life of the thoroughbred runner, independently of casualties, in France between 1914 and 1918, was twenty-one days. The life of the half-bred was about seven or eight days. The ordinary cold-blooded horse lasted no more than four or five days. The trotter more nearly approaches the so-called running thoroughbred in quality than any other light horse known in this or in any other country, because the basic stock of the trotting and pacing families was thoroughbred. The trotting and pacing families were founded about a century ago by the thoroughbred stallions Messenger and Mambrino, and their bottom has been sustained from time to time by fresh infusions of thoroughbred blood, mainly on the distaff side.

There are more thoroughbred runners and trotters available for this work of national defense than there are horses of other breeds because the maintenance of running and harness racing by individual enterprise, in spite of the difficulties involved and half-baked legislation in various parts of the country, has served to make the continued production of thoroughbred runners and trotters profitable to farmers and stockmen. The farm tractor and the automobile and the motor truck have practically put out of commission the other light types which formerly were considered serviceable in a military sense. The only horses farmers are breeding nowadays in considerable numbers are the heavy draught types, because it is for those types only that a profitable market can be found.—Advt.

#### ARKLE NEWS

The Richland Coal Company is working every day.

Claude Hollifield was the guest of Mrs. Julia Hollifield Sunday.

Miss Martha Roy attended church at Roseland Sunday and Sunday night.

Misses Sadie Brock and Lizzie Dozier met 23 Sunday afternoon at Roseland.

Lonza and Atte Ray of Emanuel, Ky., attended church at Roseland Sunday.

Miss Edna Thompson, Sallie Frederick and Gertrude Frederick of Emanuel attended church Sunday at Roseland.

Mat Fraye, who enlisted in the army for three years, has crossed the water, enroute home. He was last heard of from New Jersey.

Miss Sarah Shelton was the guest of Miss Mary and Lillie Peaveley of Emanuel, Sunday and Sunday night.

Millon Owens, of Arkle, has moved to Corbin as night watchman at the switch.

Mrs. Nora Jackson is quite ill at this writing.

John Henry Brandstutter of Barboursville, was a guest of Will and Evert Dozier Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Peaveley was the guest of Mrs. Eliza Gibson Sunday afternoon.

### Well-Known Kentucky Mothers

Louisville, Ky.—"It is a pleasure to me to send this testimonial of what Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for me. I honestly believe that it saved my life sixteen years ago. It was during my expectation of a child that I was in a terrible condition of health, so that the doctor feared the outcome. My health improved from the first few doses of the Favorite Prescription and as a result I became a mother and I was well and strong that I was able to do my own housework right up to the last. I cannot praise 'Favorite Prescription' too highly. It is all that a woman could desire as a remedy for everything. —MRS. L. A. BIRCHALL, 120 W. Chestnut St.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a medicine that cures, promptly and surely, women's ailments, and is extra women's medicine—an invigorating, restorative, soothing, and healing medicine, perfectly reliable, non-debilitating, and perfectly harmless.

### A Case of Malaria

Frankfort, Ky.—"Some years ago I had quite a case of malarial fever and could not seem to regain my strength until I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It proved to be wonderfully effective in removing the malaria from my system and my health came back quickly. I afterwards took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for my nervous and bearing sensations and it cured me. I know, for I have had no more of the trouble since. Neither have I had the slightest indication of malaria since I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' These are wonderful home remedies and it is a great pleasure to me to recommend them." —MRS. ANORA HOWARD, 708 Hope Ave.

#### GENERAL NEWS

There are said to be 1,000,000 persons, not yet identified, suffering from tuberculosis in the United States. Red Cross Seals are sold to combat this disease.

Before buying stocks which offer sure riches, consult your banker.

St. Louis goes alternately wet and dry as various judges disagree on the law. It is as bad as the sugar situation. Now we can get it and now we can't.

The Denver students who boxed up and shipped a pajama clad youth to a girls' hall may have had a desire to do something.

Lady Astor, who recently became a member of parliament in England, voted for equal suffrage for India, believing that women there should have the same voting rights as men and why not?

The safest and quickest way to Americanize foreigners is to teach them the English language. They can thus the more readily assimilate American ideals.

A New York woman predicts that within two generations the human race will live to be 150 years of age and when we learn to think, 600 years will be our span. In other words, to live long, become a highbrow and don't step in front of a moving train.

To abort a cold and prevent complications, take

# Calotabs

The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nausealess, safe and sure. Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

#### FLAT LICK NEWS.

Asberry Jackson of Paige, Ky., was in our town last week.

J. H. Slusher spent last week in Cincinnati buying merchandise. He says all merchandise has advanced since he was there six weeks ago.

M. L. Anderson of Swift & Co., was here last week calling on his trade.

The pike thru this city has sunk so much, one can't see anything for mud.

W. Buck Jackson has been on the sick list for a few days. Seems to be somewhat better now.

Oil business is moving along rapidly in this section.

We shall have a big school closing entertainment here next Friday night.

The hotel man, Prof. Frank Smith is still hauling.

A. J. Slusher visited friends and relatives here last Sunday and Monday.

Eq. St. T. Jackson is paying the top price for lumber and cattle.

Mat Baker made a business trip to Barboursville last Saturday.

C. F. Slusher visited folks last Saturday in Pineville.

Asst. Chas. Chavis has been sick for several days.

James M. Mills, of Sealf, visited his sister, Mrs. S. T. Jackson of this city.

WANTED—Men or women to take orders among friends and neighbors for the genuine guaranteed hosiery, full line for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. We pay 50c an hour spare time or \$24 a week full time. Experience unnecessary. Write International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa.—50-ft.

Mrs. Isley's Letter . . . . .  
Inte recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good.

# Camel CIGARETTES

Cigarettes made to meet your taste!

Camels are offered you as a cigarette entirely out of the ordinary—a flavor and smoothness never before attained. To best realize their quality compare Camels with any cigarette in the world at any price!

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#### UNION COLLEGE December 5th.

Saturday night Union Eagles lost their first game for the season. The Eagles played Jellco Tigers. The score was the first half 8 to 13 in favor of the Tigers. The second half started with lots of pep and vim and the Eagles were gradually pulling out of the hole when Overly, Union's star forward, had to be taken out of the game on account of a broken rib. By Overly's going out of the game there were just two of the first team left, but we managed to hold the Tigers down to the score of 22 to 20. The court was in a very bad condition on account of the rains. During the game sand was put on the wet places and this only helped to remove more hide from the players. At present Union's team is out of commission. All the quarters are hurt in some way but after Christmas all are expected to have a better team than ever before.

Miss Fields, our language teacher, was called to her home in Shreveport, La., last Friday on account of the sickness of her son.

Miss Pearl Parsons is ill at present but the doctor hopes that she will be out again.

Monday night our girls went to Williamsburg to play W. H. S. It was said that the W. H. S. girls were very good, but our girls did not worry one bit about it. The game started and before the crowd could say "scat" our girls had thrown a goal. Union had ten points before W. H. had one and that was a foul. The score was 15 to 2 in honor of our girls the first half. Union was so good hearted that in the second half they did not play so hard and let W. H. bring their score to 8. The game ended with the score of 35 to 8 in favor of Union. This victory put the Union girls on their feet again and from now on, all is going to be victory.

Union College will have her full quota of delegates at the Student Volunteer Missionary Convention to be held at Nashville, Jan. 1-4. Prof. Cramer will represent the faculty. Miss Ida Mae Smith herself a volunteer, will go for the girls and Darrall Archibald for the boys. The expenses of this trip have been largely met by contributions from the student body and teachers.

#### FRENCH PROFITERS

In a recent newspaper article by Edwin L. Jamer it is stated that Paris has uncovered a profiteering ring. Food intended for public sale is sold to Germans at enormous profits and high officials are involved.

It is remembered that similar action on the part of Parisians was the chief cause of failure on the part of the great DeLesseps, who had previously constructed the Suez Canal, to complete that of Panama years ago.

## YOUR LIVERS

If your liver works all right, the rest of your body works right to health!—otherwise not so. When look after your liver, see that it runs "smooth and steady"; that it doesn't get clogged up or slip a cog and throw the whole machinery out of gear.

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#### DEATH OF MRS. PAYNE

The remains of Mrs. Payne, generally known as "Granny" Payne, were quietly interred on Reservoir Mountain by the family home Dec. 3rd. A husband and several children survive.

Mrs. Payne, who with her son Parkey, acted as janitor at the Court House and other business houses, had a host of friends who did not know of her sickness until her death was announced. She was a woman of great energy and common sense and it was a distinct shock to her friends to learn that she had passed away.

#### BIDS WANTED FOR TELEPHONE CONSTRUCTION

In accordance with an ordinance of the City Council of the City of Barboursville, Ky., approved December 4th, 1919, I will, on Friday at 11 o'clock a. m. the 2nd day of January, 1920, at the front entrance of the Lawson Building, which is the front door of the City Hall, sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the Franchise for a Telephone along, over or under Johnson Lane and its intersection with Allison Avenue, from Allison Avenue to the City limits.

John Parker, City Clerk. 7-2t

#### GIRDLER NEWS

Loafing is all the go at this place.

The little son of Matt Proffitt is very low at this writing.

S. A. Jones made a trip to town Saturday.

Rev. J. C. Warren returned home from Laurel County Sunday following a successful revival meeting.

John McVey, Sr., returned home Friday from Garrard County where he has been at work.

Mack Hammons purchased a horse from Lee Merida Saturday.

Chas. Hammons and Tip Callebs made a trip to town Saturday.

Miss Rosa Gross and Miss Maymie Bolton visited Miss Grace Jones Sunday.

Cagle Stacy returned to Horse Creek Sunday where he is at work. Cagle reports work good at that place.

G. W. Hammons made a trip to town Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Wyrick visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fount Rowland at Fount, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Hammons visited Miss Myrtle Mills Saturday and Sunday.

The water was so high Sunday that there was no church service at Callebs Creek.

P. Jurvick is erecting a nice new barn on his farm this week.

Willie Burnett has purchased himself a new phonograph.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, who has been visiting her son, Ganon Hughes, returned to her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Shoop, Roseland, Ky., Tuesday.

### FATS FOR ENERGY

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